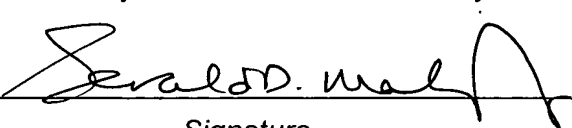
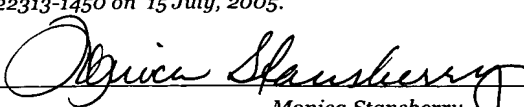


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>			Docket No. <b>PM 2000.005</b>
In Re Application Of: <b>W. Brett Wilson</b>			
Serial No. <b>10/627, 006</b>	Filing Date <b>25 July, 2003</b>	Examiner <b>Beach, Thomas A.</b>	Group Art Unit <b>3671</b>
Title: <b>HYBRID TENSION-LEG RISER</b>			
Address to: <b>Commissioner for Patents</b>			
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <b>18 March 2005</b> in the above-identified application.			
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months  from : <b>18 June 2005</b> until: <b>18 July 2005</b>			
The fee for the extension of time is <b>\$120.00</b> and is to be paid as follows:  <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <b>05-1328</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <b>05-1328</b>			
 Signature		<b>July 15, 2005</b> Dated	
<b>Gerald D. Malpass, Jr., Reg. No. 40,079</b>  <b>ExxonMobil Upstream Research Company</b>  P. O. Box 2189 Houston, TX 77252-2189 Telephone: (713) 431-4577 Facsimile: (713) 431-4664		<div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <b>Certificate of Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)</b>   I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 on 15 July, 2005.     Monica Stansberry </div>	

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